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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 5, 2011

PUBLIC STORAGE

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland 001-33519 95-3551121 (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

701 Western Avenue, Glendale, California 91201-2349 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(818) 244-8080

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

We held our annual meeting of shareholders on May 5, 2011, at which four proposals were submitted to, and approved by, our shareholders. The proposals are described in detail in our proxy statement for the 2011 Annual Meeting filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 25, 2011. The final results for the votes for each proposal are set forth below.

1. Our shareholders elected nine trustees to our Board of Trustees, to hold office until the 2012 Annual Meeting or until their successors are duly qualified and elected. The votes for each nominee were as follows:

	Total Votes				
Name	Total Votes For	Total Votes	Broker Nonvotes		
		Withheld			
B. Wayne Hughes	141,074,436	4,963,322	8,106,927		
Ronald L. Havner, Jr.	142,997,883	3,040,175	8,106,927		
Tamara Hughes Gustavson	135,646,110	10,931,547	8,106,927		
Uri P. Harkham	143,555,511	2,482,547	8,106,927		
B. Wayne Hughes, Jr.	140,114,265	5,923,793	8,106,927		
Avedick B. Poladian	144,689,924	1,347,733	8,106,927		
Gary E. Pruitt	144,270,826	1,767,232	8,106,927		
Ronald P. Spogli	144,381,129	1,656,929	8,106,927		
Daniel C. Staton	143,440,891	2,596,766	8,106,927		

2. The shareholders ratified the appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as Public Storage's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstain	Broker
			Non-Votes
151,936,906	2,060,825	146,330	-0-

3. The shareholders approved the advisory vote on executive compensation:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstain	Broker
			Non-Votes
145,096,793	789,121	151,743	8,106,927

4. The shareholders approved holding future advisory votes on executive compensation annually:

One Year	Two Years	Three Years	Abstain	Broker
				Non-Votes
95,380,310	603,724	49,941,693	103,059	8,106,927

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 6, 2011

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By: /s/ Stephanie Heim Stephanie Heim Vice President